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PRESENTATION ON MEXICO/US TRANSBORDER AND TRANSNATIONAL FAMILIES

Program is associated with the "One Book, One San Diego" regional reading campaign

San Diego, CA...KPBS and the San Diego Public Library will host a presentation entitled *Mexico-The United States: Transborder Families and Transnational Families*, by Norma Ojeda, Ph.D., a professor at San Diego State University. The lecture takes place Wednesday, March 21 at 6:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the Central Library, located at 820 E Street in downtown San Diego. The event is free and open to the public.

Noting changes in the family and its social order as related to the transformations of society as a whole, Professor Ojeda will pose some reflections regarding the impact of the Mexico-United States international migration upon the families in Mexico by considering the cases of transborder and transnational families.

"This is the type of lecture that might help explain some of the goings on in this book," said one library patron after attending a discussion on Sonia Nazario's Pulitzer Prize-winning book, *Enrique's Journey*, the featured selection for One Book, One San Diego.

One Book, One San Diego is a campaign to promote an appreciation for reading and encourage discussions about books and important community issues. Numerous happenings throughout the region include book discussions, films and presentations by the featured author. This project is a partnership of KPBS and the San Diego Public Library. For more information regarding the project visit www.kpbs.org/onebook or www.sandiegolibrary.org on the web.

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